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## WELDING INSPECTION REPORT

Resident Engineer: Pursell, Gary **Report No:** WIR-008597 Address: 333 Burma Road **Date Inspected:** 23-Aug-2009

City: Oakland, CA 94607

**OSM Arrival Time:** 700 **Project Name:** SAS Superstructure **OSM Departure Time:** 1900 **Prime Contractor:** American Bridge/Fluor Enterprises, a JV

Contractor: Zhenhua Port Machinery Company, Ltd (ZPMC), Changxing Island **Location:** Shanghai, China

**CWI Name: CWI Present:** Yes Mr. Liu yang/ Mr. Xu le feng No **Inspected CWI report:** Yes N/A **Rod Oven in Use:** Yes No No N/A N/A **Electrode to specification:** Yes No Weld Procedures Followed: Yes No N/A N/A **Qualified Welders:** Yes No **Verified Joint Fit-up:** Yes No N/A N/A Yes No N/A **Approved Drawings:** Yes No **Approved WPS:** Yes No N/A **Delayed / Cancelled:** 

34-0006 **Bridge No: Component:** Tower

#### **Summary of Items Observed:**

On this date Caltrans OSM Quality Assurance(QA) Inspector, Baskar Govindarajan, was present during the times noted above for observations relative to the work being performed.

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- 1. This QA inspector, Baskar Govindarajan, observed, ZPMC qualified welding personnel identified as 066478 perform SMAW welding on, Spare strut web to flange stiffner, Weld joint no. WD1-A 6001-1-57. ZPMC CWI Identified as Mrs. Yu dong ping. The welding parameters as measured using QC's calibrated instruments appeared to be in general compliance with WPS-B-T-2112
- 2. This QA inspector, Baskar Govindarajan, observed, ZPMC qualified welding personnel identified as 040345 perform FCAW welding on, Interconnecting splice plate, Weld joint no. WSD1-SPSA3-56-1A. ZPMC CWI Identified as Mr. Zhan bo. The welding parameters as measured using QC's calibrated instruments appeared to be in general compliance with WPS-B-T-2231-TC-U5-F.
- 3. This QA inspector, Baskar Govindarajan, observed, ZPMC qualified welding personnel identified as 066881 perform FCAW welding on, Doubler plate, Skin E, Weld joint no. WSD1-FESA4-4 D/F-14. ZPMC CWI Identified as Mr. Xu le feng. The welding parameters as measured using QC's calibrated instruments appeared to be in general compliance with WPS-B-T-4332-TC-P4-F.

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4. This QA inspector, Baskar Govindarajan, observed, ZPMC qualified welding personnel identified as 051413 perform SAW welding on, Strut splice plate, Weld joint no. ED1-A 5007-25-1A. ZPMC CWI Identified as Mr. Ma yun. The welding parameters as measured using QC's calibrated instruments appeared to be in general compliance with WPS-B-T-3221-TC-U5-S-1.Also, it is observed, the same welder is building up (Buttering) the flange plate by SAW. Photograph attached.

5. This QA inspector, Baskar Govindarajan, observed, ZPMC qualified welding personnel identified as 207745 perform SAW welding on, Skirt plates, Weld joint no. SSD1-A 681-2-147. ZPMC CWI Identified as Mr. Liu yang. The welding parameters as measured using QC's calibrated instruments appeared to be in general compliance with WPS-B-T-2221-B-L2C-2.

6. This QA inspector, Baskar Govindarajan, observed, Heat straightening of Strut splice plate, near weld joint no. WD1-A 5007-23-1A with hold down device (Jack) between two flanges. ZPMC CWI identified as Mrs. Yu dong ping and the QC identified as Mr. Mao bin bin. The Heat straightening report for the same found to be HSR 1 (T) -10148. Photograph attached.

Unless otherwise noted, all work observed on this date appeared to be in general compliance with the applicable contract documents.





## **Summary of Conversations:**

No relevant conversations.

#### **Comments**

This report is for the purpose of determining conformance with the contract documents and is not for the purpose of making repair or fit for purpose recommendations. Should you require recommendations concerning repairs or remedial efforts please contact Serge, Sinevod - 134-8257-0045, who represents the Office of Structural Materials for your project.

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**Inspected By:** Baskar, Govindarajan Quality Assurance Inspector **Reviewed By:** Clifford, William QA Reviewer